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In re Application of Julius *et al.*
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BY LAIT/sCD14-PROTEIN
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Atty's Docket No.: 47841/00063

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20331
U.S.A.

Dear Sir:

We enclose the following:

1. Preliminary amendment (2 pages).
2. Cover letter to IDS (2 pages).
3. IDS (4 pages), in duplicate.
4. Copies of references cited in IDS.

In that the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted to the PTO prior to receipt by Applicant of an action on the merits, Applicant believes no fee is required in order to obtain consideration of the enclosed materials. In the event that this submission reaches the PTO after the issuance of an action on the merits, Applicant requests that the required fee be charged to Account No. 02-2553.

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Yours very truly,



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